

Coronation Essay Contest

"What Canada means to me" will be the title of an essay contest which is to be one of the features of the Coronation period in Whitchurch Township Awards will be presented at the ceremonies which are to be held at the new Township Community Park at Vandorf on Coronation Day, Tuesday, June 2.

Children of all ages may submit their essays. Age and grade of the child will be taken into consideration in judging the merits of the essay.

There will be a prize for the best essay written in each of the 16 public schools in Whitchurch Township, and a grand prize

for the best essay of all those submitted for final judging. Every principal will be the judge in his or her own school, sending on the best essay to Mr. W. D.C. Hall of Lake Wilcox school. They will then be submitted to an outside judge for the judging for the final winner for the McKillop Memorial Trophy.

Sixteen statues have been presented by Mr. A.E. Patchell, chairman of the S.S. 13, Lake Wilcox, for the winners in each of the township schools. The O.M. McKillop Memorial Trophy, given in memory of the late public school inspector of that name, has also been donated by Mr. Patchell. The

RESTOCK LAKE SIMCOE

One of the largest fish restocking projects in Lake Simcoe in recent years got underway last week when 300,000 lake trout fingerlings were placed in waters east and west of Jackson's Point, off the lake's southeast shore. These will be followed by 5,000,000 whitefish; 12,000,000 pickerel; 180,000 muskellunge and quantities of bass.

McKillop Trophy will also be presented during the Whitchurch Coronation celebrations in Vandorf on June 2. Mrs. McKillop making the presentation.

40 points are being awarded for originality of ideas, 30 for aptness of expression, 10 for legibility and 20 for neatness.

VANDORF

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grant, Orilla, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster, Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starr attended the opera at Maple Leaf Gardens on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Cole of Ravenshoe, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Greenwood.

Mr. Harry West, Mr. R. B. Brown, Mr. Jim Sleeth sang at Hartman Sunday School on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. H. Oliver was accompanist.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yake and family, Bethesda, were visitors at Wesley S.S. on Sunday. Mr. Yake represented the Whitchurch Township S.S. Association.

Miss Margaret Petrie will be guest speaker at Wesley Sunday School next Sunday and will show slides on her work as a missionary.

Special coronation services will be followed by all United Churches of Canada.

Dr. and Mrs. George Covey, Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morley on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stunden at Richmond Hill on Sunday.

Mr. Harold Duncan, Miss Emma Duncan and Mr. Archie Gray, Todmorden, visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morley on Saturday.

When two young people get their heads together they can do wonders—with the modern dances.

UNIONVILLE NEWS

York Central Boy Scouts' Annual parade was held in Unionville on Sunday, May 24th. Over 1200 Scouts and Cubs from packs in York Central District took part in the parade and open air service. The ministers conducting the service were Rev. R. F. Sneyd; Rev. W. Butt; Rev. E. Fischer; and Rev. Bournes. The trumpet band of the Second Signal Regiment led the parade. Those on the receiving stand were: Mr. F. Worth, District Commissioner of York Central; Mr. Terry Jackson, Assistant District Commissioner for Cubs, York Central; Mr. Dick Edmunds, District Commissioner of Scouts for South Simcoe and Mr. Art Dairs, Assistant District Commissioner for South Central Representation. Reeve W. Timbers represented Markham Township Council. Troops and packs were represented from Lansing, Newtonbrook, Willowdale, Todmorden, Wilson Heights, Yorkminster, Agincourt, Oriole, Thornhill, Unionville, York Mills, King, Victoria Square, Richvale and Jefferson.

Mrs. D. Strickland spent a few days the past week in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wilson spent this week in the Sudbury and Algoma district.

Welcome to the Gardner family who have moved into the house owned by G. A. M. Davison and which has been occupied for a number of years by Mrs. R. J. Allen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore and son Eric enjoyed a motor trip to Peterborough on Thursday.

At the Annual Meeting of the local Home and School Association, the speaker was Mr. Warren Clayson, Director of Water Safety Division, Canadian Red Cross. He gave a description of a water safety program. Mr. T. Danby thanked the speaker. The president, S. G. Burgis, called on Mr. Hill to outline the new system of promotions for grades 1 to 6 which will take effect when school opens in September, at which time there will be an additional classroom available.

Miss Gray and her children were congratulated for the delightful selection given by their Rhythm Band. Mrs. H. E. LeMasurier, President of York Simcoe School Council, installed the officers for 1953-54 as follows: President, S. G. Burgis; Vice Pres., J.D.M. Phillips; Vice Pres., S.A. McDonald; Secretary, Mrs. A. L. Diack; Treasurer, Mrs. A. Duffield; Corresponding Sect., Mrs. J.R. Perigoe; Executive members, Mrs. A. Toogood, Mrs. W. Bradley, Mr. S.C. Pettit, Mr. J. R. Perigo, Mrs. E. Bratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore and son and daughter of Toronto spent Saturday at her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. Heimler.

The United Church Fresh Air Camp will be operating again this season at Lake Scugog and anyone who can help with a contribution should call the W.M.S. treasurer Mrs. Young.

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is an authority on farm ponds was the speaker. Mrs. Andy Morrison and children of Penetanguishen visited at her mother's, Mrs. Court's, on Monday.

Mrs. Gray of Toronto is visiting at the home of Mr. Bone.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Finley of Thornhill visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Rainey on Monday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Lager of Toronto visited at the home of Mrs. Herbert Stephenson last Tuesday.

An executive meeting of the Unionville Horticultural Society was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Warne last Tuesday evening. There were fifteen present. Resignations of the sec-treasurer and corresponding secretary were handed in and accepted. Mr. John Marshall was appointed as the new secretary-treasurer. An invitation from Stouffville Society to attend their show was accepted. It was decided to place a float in the parade for the Coronation Celebration of June 2nd. Mrs. Barker, Mrs. E. Rainey, Mrs. F. Warne and Mr. J. Marshall were appointed to look after the float and all members to be asked to bring flowers on the morning of June 2nd to the home of Mrs. Rainey where the work will be done. Two of the Fall Show were moved a week ahead and will be held on August 26th and September 30th. Mrs. A.E. Milner and Mrs. Middleton volunteered to look after the October show.

Several children of the district are sick with the measles. Mr. C. White is having a two-week holiday after accidentally cutting his fingers while cutting some screen.

The many friends of Mrs. Henry Allen will be pleased to hear that she is home from the hospital following her operation and is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Brown.

Mrs. Strickland's mother spent a few days at her home the past week.

Mr. Frank Findley of Thornhill visited his daughter, Miss Velma Findley and Mr. M. Findley on Sunday.

Mrs. Stewart of Toronto visited at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Debets of Colingwood visited at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. LeMasurier over the weekend.

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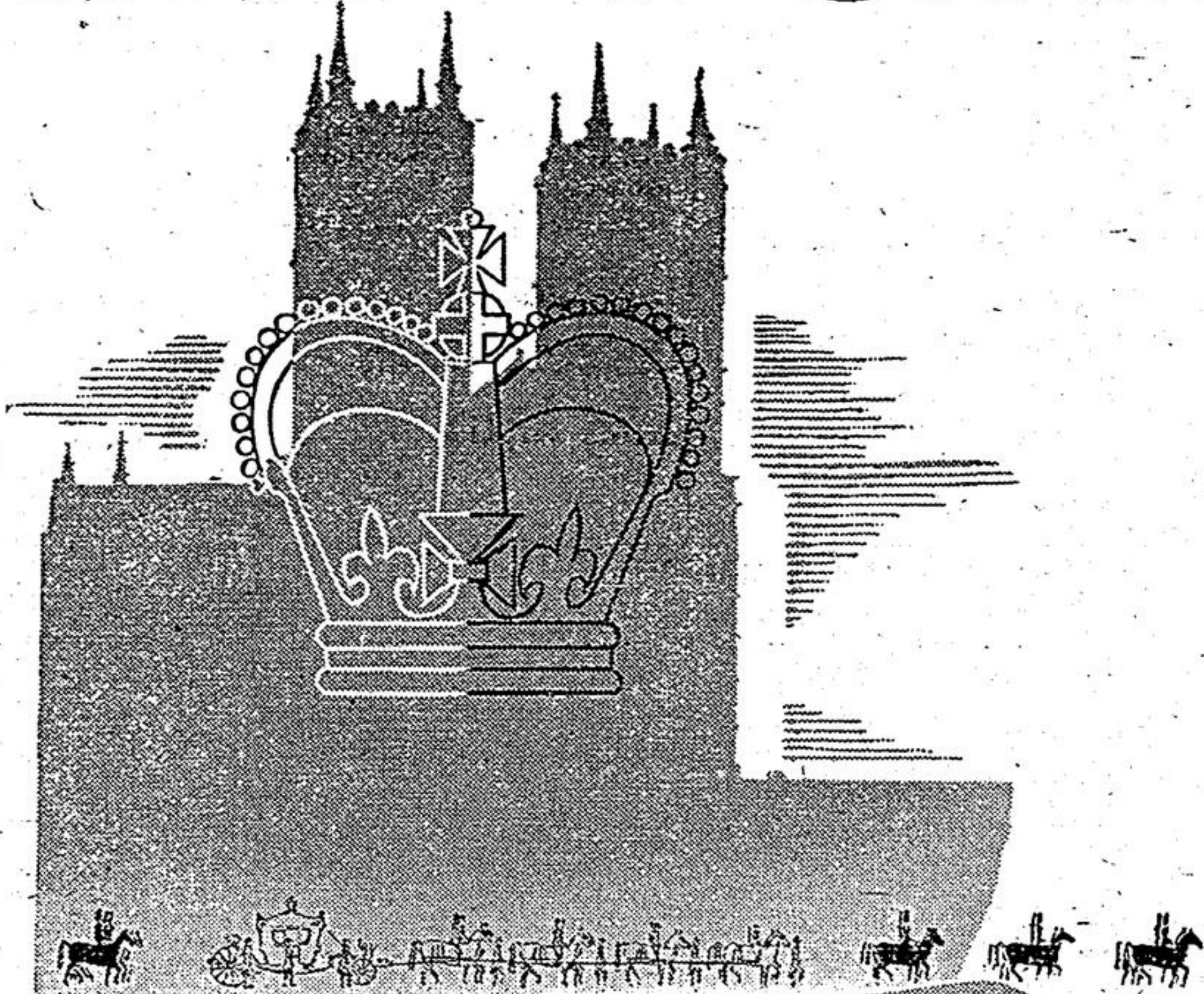
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Our Queen is Crowned



OFFICE OF THE PRIME MINISTER & PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL

The day on which our beloved Queen Elizabeth II is to be crowned should be one of great rejoicing for all her loyal subjects. On this June 2nd, 1953, we should feel particularly proud of the privilege of living under such a gracious Sovereign and of belonging to this great and unique family of nations, The British Commonwealth. Thanks to the inventions of modern technology, we shall be able to associate to a great extent with the population of London in viewing the ancient and traditional pageantry. All over the world, people of democratic countries will be following with interest and sympathy the ceremonies of the Coronation. Let us on this day pledge anew our allegiance to the Crown and re-affirm our faith in the great principles upon which the British Commonwealth was founded and endures. Let us hope that none will show more fervour in this re-dedication than the people of a province that prides itself upon its motto, "Loyal she began, loyal she will remain."

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

Leslie M. Frost

Leslie M. Frost, Prime Minister of Ontario.

The Government of the Province of Ontario

DIVISION OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

Hi - Gas up the car and come up to the

Mt. Albert Sports Day

Sat., June 6th

STARTS 10.30 - NEWMARKET BAND PARADE
FIELD DAY FOR CHILDREN
1.00 - JR. & SR. SOFT BALL TOURNAMENTS
3.00 - VINCE MOUNTFORD'S TROUPE
magician - comedians - trampolines acrobats
PONIES - KIDDIE RIDES - SUPPER SERVED

EVENING -
CY LEONARD'S STAGE SHOW
acrobatic - juggling - ventriloquist
unicycling

Dance to Pete Vitelli and his
Saddle Dusters.

BINGO - MIDWAY
LUCKY DRAW ADMISSION TICKET
\$50 - \$25 - \$15 - \$10 - \$5.

Admission - 40c - 25c . . . Dance - 25c extra